## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Services – Guntur District – Allegation of Corruption against Sri B.Venkateswara Rao, formerly Enforcement Deputy Tahsildar, Tenali Division Guntur District – Convicted – Dismissed from service – Reinducted into service as per the order of the A.P.A.T dated: 26.11.2007 in O.A.No.5154/07 – Reviewed the case – Writ Appeal filed in the High Court - Interim Order of the High Court in W.P.No.2382/12 – Dismissal from service – Orders – Issued.

# **REVENUE (VIGILANCE-VI) DEPARTMENT**

## G.O.Ms.No.242.

Dated: 13.04.2012. Read the following:-

- 1. G.O.Ms.No.924, Revenue (Vig..III) Department, dated: 15.12.2000.
- 2. Judgment of the Spl.Judge for SPE & ACB cases, Vijayawada in C.C.No.8 of 2002, dated 10.10.2006.
- 3. G.O.Ms.No.1938, Rev (Vig.VI) Department, dated: 29.01.2006.
- 4. Order of the A.P.A.T., Hyderabad, dated: 26.11.2007 in O.A.No.5154/07.
- 5. G.O.Ms.No.558, Revenue (Vig.VI) Department, dated: 29.03.2008.
- 6. Interim Order of the High Court, dated: 07.02.2012 in WPMP.No.2961/2012 in W.P.No.2382/2012.

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#### **ORDER:**

Whereas Sri B.Venkateswara Rao, formerly Enforcement Deputy Tahsildar, Tenali Division, Guntur District was convicted and sentenced to undergo Rigorous Imprisonment for a period of two years and also to pay a fine of Rs.5,000/- in default Simple Imprisonment for three months for the offence under Section 7 of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and Rigorous Imprisonment for a period of two years and also to pay a fine of Rs.5,000/- in default Simple Imprisonment for three months for the offence under section 13(1)(d) read with section 13(2) of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 read with section 34 IPC by the Court of Principal Special Judge for SPE and ACB cases, Vijayawada in C.C.No.8/2002, dated 10.10.2006;

- 2. And whereas, it was considered that the conduct of the said Sri B.Venkateswara Rao, Enforcement Deputy Tahsildar, Tenali Division, Guntur District which led to his conviction is such as to render his further retention in the public service undesirable. Accordingly, orders were issued dismissing Sri B.Venkateswara Rao, Enforcement Deputy Tahsildar, Tenali Division Guntur District from service vide G.O. 3<sup>rd</sup> read above.
- 3. And whereas, aggrieved by the dismissal orders, Sri B.Venkateswara Rao, formerly Enforcement Deputy Tahsildar, Tenali Division, Guntur District filed O.A.No.5154/07 in the Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal and the Hon'ble Tribunal, in its order 4<sup>th</sup> read above has allowed the O.A. and directed the respondents to re-induct the applicant into service forthwith giving liberty to the respondents to pass appropriate orders under Rule 8(2)(b) of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991, if so desire.
- 4. And whereas Government, after careful examination of the matter in the light of the above order of the Honourable Tribunal, have decided to reinduct the Accused Officer in to service. Accordingly, orders were issued reinducting the Accused Officer into service, pending outcome of the orders of Honourable High Court in Cr.A.No.1454/06 vide G.O. 5<sup>th</sup> read above.
- 5. Whereas, Government have reviewed the case in the light of the common order of the Hon'ble High Court of A.P., dated 17.11.2009 in

W.P.No.8000/10 and others and contested the matter in the High Court. Further, the Hon'ble High court of A.P., in its interim order dated 07.02.2012 in W.P.No.2961/2012 in W.P.No.2382/2012 has suspended the order of the Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal dated 26.11.2007 in O.A.No.5154/07.

- 6. Now, therefore, under clause (x) of Rule 9 read with Sub-Rule (i) of Rule 25 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991, read with G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration Department, dated 04.01.1999, Government hereby dismiss Sri B.Venkateswara Rao, formerly Enforcement Deputy Tahsildar, Tenali Division Guntur District from service with immediate effect, subject to outcome of W.P.No.2382/2012 pending in the High Court.
- 7. The Special Chief Secretary and Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Hyderabad and the Collector, Guntur District shall take necessary action accordingly.
- 8. Accordingly, the following Notification will be published in the A.P. Gazette.

#### **NOTIFICATION**

"Under Clause (x) of the Rule 9 read with Sub-Rule (i) of Rule 25 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 read with G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration Department, Dated 04.01.1999, Government hereby dismiss Sri B.Venkateswara Rao, formerly Enforcement Deputy Tahsildar, Tenali Division, Guntur District from Government service with immediate effect."

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

# ASUTOSH MISHRA PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

#### To

Sri B.Venkateswara Rao, formerly Enforcement Deputy Tahsildar, Tenali Division, Guntur District. (through the Collector, Guntur) The District Collector, Guntur. (with a request to serve the order on the A.O with dated signature and return the same)

The Special Chief Secretary and

Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Hyderabad. The Commissioner, Printing Stationery & Stores Purchase,

Chanchalguda, Hyderabad (with a request to publish the notification in the official Gazette and furnish 10 copies of the same)

# Copy to:

- **1.** The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, A.P., Hyderabad.
- **2.** The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.
- **3.** SF / SC.

// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

**SECTION OFFICER**